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OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND USES
THEREOF

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed on October 20, 2008 (the "Office Action"), and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks below. No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Deposit Account No. 50-1662 referencing the above-identified docket number.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this reply.